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Overview

What is Qualify:
A unique AQM solution, uniting all aspects of the software development lifecycle.

Features:
- Unified view of all IT projects
- Customizable reporting
- Instant access to information with drill down dashboards
- Cross-project resource management
- Integrated workflow
- Email integration
- Role-based access control
- Full traceability and audit ability

Benefits:
- Optimises software quality processes
- Reduces business risks
- Supports multiple methodologies
- Manages resources effectively and efficiently
- Improves project control and visibility
- Compiles meaningful reports and metrics

Application Quality Management

Robust Test Automation for Everyone

Intelligent Database Management & Verification

Dynamic Manual Testing

Complete Application Quality Management with Qualify

Qualify is a unique solution for Application Quality Management (AQM) that unites all aspects of the software quality lifecycle from requirements through to deployment, providing an integrated approach to solving your quality process and management challenges. Qualify is methodology agnostic and suitable for managing all software delivery projects, whether Agile or Waterfall, or a combination of both. Qualify has a zero maintenance burden and provides a unified view of all your IT projects from the desktop, web or any smart device.

The Challenge
In 2009, the Standish Group CHAOS report indicated that nearly 25% of all IT projects fail. This is a sobering statistic when you consider the blood, sweat and tears that go into any IT project. The quality of application or software delivery is at the heart of many of the challenges faced with IT projects. It is therefore critical to manage the software delivery lifecycle process in a streamlined and efficient manner.

A Complete Application Quality Management Solution
Qualify is our solution that addresses the above challenges. By uniting all aspects of the software quality lifecycle from requirements through to deployment and ongoing upgrades, Qualify spans all the departments in your quality process. It provides a customisable and integrated infrastructure that supports your processes for requirements, test planning, test case design, test execution and defect tracking, with full traceability. The rich collaboration functionality and highly customisable workflow enable you to optimize your quality process and the ability to view multiple projects across the whole organisation allows more efficient resource planning. Using Qualify will ultimately speed up your entire application quality process, solving the quality management challenges you face in today's complex and constantly changing business climate.

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Organizations gain a centralized view of all their quality processes and tasks from project inception through to release. The product is also configurable to a great extent enabling organizations to fit the solution to their processes and workflow. Qualify supports a range of development methodologies including Agile, waterfall, and hybrid processes as well.

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Michael Azoff, Ovum, February 2011

Organise, Communicate, Collaborate

- The control of projects is far easier than using spreadsheets and email using Qualify.
- Qualify provides a communication backbone where all members of a project team can collaborate and participate in processes that reflect the way you work now, and in the future.
- Access to all associated information and documents is available instantly.
- Project information is available in clear customisable dashboards and can also be shared using email.
- Real-time views of project status, together with alerts when changes are made, enable users to receive minute by minute updates on a desktop or via a mobile smart device.
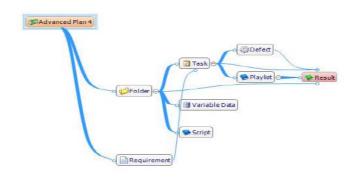
Map Your Business & Processes

- Qualify has been designed by QA professionals to deliver a best of breed solution which fits in with your business and optimises your processes.
- Qualify is a platform that encompasses requirements, planning and scheduling, resource management, test execution, defect management, reporting, plus any other areas or entities of application delivery that are specific to your organisation.
- It can also be extended to include other processes specific to your quality management model.
- Qualify's flexibility is a key strength, ensuring that you are not straight-jacketed into a single process model.
- You can map your processes, vary, adapt, grow and evolve them easily and without any fuss.
- The supporting framework can change with you on a journey to better quality and quicker project delivery.

Acclaimed for Agile Methodologies

- Qualify's flexibility makes it equally applicable to Agile and Waterfall methodologies or some pragmatic combination.
- Users can select one of the pre-existing templates based on popular methodologies or build their own models quickly and easily.
- Users can integrate testing with the rest of the application's life cycle and support collaboration across the QA and entire project team.
- Qualify has been acclaimed as the best solution for testing Agile projects and provides a co-ordinated view, complete with burn-down data, whiteboards, backlogs from shared information and team member updates.

Each test plan can incorporate its own custom data model

Metrics and Compliance

- Clear graphical dashboards can be configured to suit your needs.
- Dashboards offer real-time project and cross-project metrics, with drill down functionality for detailed analysis.
- One can also view multiple projects across the whole organisation, allowing more efficient resource planning.
- Full historical records are available for every project, modification and test performed, allowing for a complete audit trail and easing the burden of compliance.
- Status and performance metrics are instantly available to help meet SLAs.

Resource Planning

- Utilisation of resources is visible project by project or company-wide, enabling staff to be deployed with the greatest efficiency.
- Tasks and assignments can be dragged and dropped from one person to another, with the impact on the changes assessed immediately, taking into account working time and holidays.

Flexible Reporting Engine

- Qualify's reporting engine is easy to use, combining detailed and statistical information.
- The layout of reports is fully customisable.
- An easy to use wizard allows the export of finished reports to multiple formats, including HTML and PDF.
- Drill down into the data behind the report is immediate.

About Original Software

With a world class record of innovation, Original Software offers a solution focused completely on the goal of effective quality management. By embracing the full spectrum of Application Quality Management across a wide range of applications and environments, the company partners with customers and helps make quality a business imperative. Solutions include a quality management platform, manual testing, full test automation and test data management, all delivered with the control of business risk, cost, time and resources in mind.

More than 400 organisations operating in over 30 countries use Original Software solutions. Current users range from major multi-nationals to small software development shops, encompassing a wide range of industries, sectors and sizes. We are proud of our partnerships with the likes of Coca-Cola, HSBC, Unilever, FedEx, Pfizer, DHL and many others.

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